<u>Amendments to the Claims:</u>

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims:</u>

1-17. (Cancelled)

18. (New) A data processing system including:

a user interface device having a surface being responsive to a writing of handwritten signs for generating first input digital data said first input digital data comprising sign data and position data, wherein said sign data represent a digital version of the handwritten signs and position data represent the position of the handwritten signs relative to said surface;

a personal digital assistant (PDA) having a PDA display and a PDA user input interface, said PDA being adapted to simultaneously display primary data on said PDA display and enable the entry of secondary data through said PDA user input interface, the personal digital assistant being responsive to the entry of secondary data for generating second input digital data, said second input digital data comprising the secondary data in association with the primary data;

processing code comprising a display function adapted to generate display digital data from the first input digital data, said display digital data being for use in said PDA display;

wherein:

the personal digital assistant further includes tracking means adapted to determine PDA position data, such PDA position data representing the position of the PDA display relative to said surface of the user interface device;

said display function in said processing code is arranged to perform a selection among the first input digital data based on the matching between position data and PDA position data, and to generate said display digital data from the sign data which correspond to said selection.

19. (New) The data processing system of claim 18, wherein said processing code further comprises a timestamp function adapted to be responsive to a generation of first input digital data and/or second input digital data for generating time data, wherein the time data

represent time of generation of said first input digital data and/or of said second input digital data.

20.   (New) The data processing system of claim 18, further comprising:

an interaction module adapted to be responsive to the generation of first input digital data and/or second input digital data for determining whether said first input digital data and/or said second input digital data comprise data representing a link to data which are stored in an external database, and, in such a case, to convert said data into link data for the first input digital data and/or second input digital data, and to enable a user to perform an activation of said link data.

21.   (New) The data processing system of claim 20, wherein said processing code further comprises a remote access function adapted to be responsive to the activation of link data of first input digital data and/or second input digital data for accessing said external database.

22.   (New) The data processing system of claim 19 further comprising memory organized with a storage structure, wherein said storage structure is adapted to maintain a relationship between first input digital data and/or second input digital data and the time data as generated by the timestamp function.

23.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 18, wherein the position data of the first input digital data comprises zone identifier data, said zone identifier data identifying a zone on said surface which is intended for the entry of handwritten signs.

24.   (New) The data processing device of claim 23, wherein the zone identifier data comprise level identifier data and zone identifier data per se, wherein the level identifier data represent one of several levels of one zone, such that one zone can be broken down into several levels.

25.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 23, wherein said surface of the user interface device has at least one zone with an input mask, said first input digital data further comprising input mask data, the input mask data representing a digital version of said input mask.

26.   (New) The data processing device of claim 25 further comprising a memory organized with a storage structure, wherein the zone identifier data comprise level identifier data and zone identifier data per se, the input mask data of the first input digital data being stored in relationship with level identifier data representing a particular level of said zone.

27.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 18, wherein the user interface device includes a pen arranged to enable a user to enter handwritten signs on said surface.

28.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 18, wherein the user interface device includes a graphic tablet.

29.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 18, wherein the user interface device comprises an electronic notebook having a surface defining a multiplicity of zones intended for the entry of handwritten signs.

30.   (New) The data processing device according to claim 18 further comprises a display device, wherein the processing code comprises a further display function adapted to generate further display digital data from the first input digital data, said display digital data being for use in said display device.